AGENCY STRATEGIC PLAN

FOR THE FISCAL YEARS

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ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS

FUNCTIONAL AREA: HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

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AGENCY: Arkansas State Board of Dental Examiners

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Agency Name	Arkansas State Board of Dental Examiners
Agency Mission Statement: To protect the oral health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Arkansas by upholding the integrity of the dental profession.	

AGENCY GOAL 1:

To regulate the dental profession in the State of Arkansas.

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Agency Name	Arkansas State Board of Dental Examiners
Program	State Board of Dental Examiners Operations
Program Authorization	A.C.A. 17-82-101 et seq. and A.C.A. 4-29-401 et seq.
Program Definition: **Funds-Center Code: A41**	The State Board of Dental Examiners examines, licenses, and certifies professionals to practice in the field of dentistry. The Board also accepts complaints against licensees and permit holders, investigates allegations and administratively adjudicates complaints.
AGENCY GOAL(S) # 1	
Anticipated Funding Sources for the Program:	Cash Funds

GOAL 1: (Sub-Funds Center Code: A41GOAL1)

To certify, license and register individuals and corporations who meet requirements to practice dentistry, dental hygiene, and dental assisting; and protect the public from illegal, incompetent and unprofessional practitioners.

OBJECTIVE 1: (Sub-Funds Center Code: A41G1OBJ1)

To ensure that all candidates and practitioners of dentistry and dental hygiene are appropriately qualified and that complaints about patient care and unprofessional conduct are resolved in a timely manner.

STRATEGY 1: (Sub-Funds Center Code: A41A)

The Board will maintain one office to provide the necessary staff support to meet its objective.